## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Servants – Agricultural Marketing Department – Departmental Proceedings initiated against Sri K.Sudhakar, Selection Grade Secretary, Agricultural Marketing Committee, Kurnool now (Retd.) under rule 24 of A.P.C.S.(Ccnduct) Rules, 1964 for certain financial irregularities committed in purchase of Tarpaulins – Further action dropped – Orders – Issued.

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## AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1149

<u>Dated 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2013</u> Read the following:-

- 1. From D.G.& EO Prl.Secy.to Govt., G.A.(V&E)Dept., Hyderabad Vigilance Report No.35/V&E/R2/2000, dt.30-06-2000.
- 2. From C&DOAM, Hyderabad Lr.No.X(3)293/2001, dt.6-12-2004 along with the enquiry report dt.1-3-2004 of the Addl.DOM
- 3. G.O.Rt.No.448, Agri. & Coop. (Vig. II) Dept., dt. 17-05-2005.
- 4. G.O.Rt.No. 607 A&C(Vig.II) Department, dt: 06.05.2010
- Orders of APAT in O.A.No.2215/2012 filed by Sri K. Sudhakar Dt: 20.09.2012.
- 6. C.A.No.142/2013 in O.A.No.2215/2012.

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## ORDER:

It was brought to the notice of Government that certain Secretaries of AMCs in the State had committed certain irregularities in purchase of tarpaulins from M/s. Andhra Textiles & Proofing Industries Ltd. Kadapa during the year 1998-99 with higher rates than prevailing market rates. The Commissioner & Director of Marketing, Hyderabad got enquired into the matter by the Additional Director of Agricultural Marketing and found that (26) officials of AMCs have made irregular purchase of tarpaulins.

- 2. Accordingly, the Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad being competent has initiated disciplinary action by framing articles of charges against (9) employees and Government being competent have initiated disciplinary action by framing articles of charges against (17) employees of Marketing Committees. Sri K.Sudhakar, Selection Grade Secretary, Agricultural Marketing Committee, Kurnool now (Retd.) is one among them, against whom disciplinary action was initiated vide G.O.3<sup>rd</sup> & 4th read above.
- 3. Aggrieved by the above orders, Sri K.Sudhakar, Selection Grade Secretary, Agricultural Marketing Committee, Kurnool now (Retd.) filed O.A.No.2215/2012 in the Hon'ble A.P. Administrative Tribunal, Hyderabad and the Hon'ble Tribunal vide reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above had set aside the Articles of Charges issued vide G.O.Rt.No.448, Dated: 17.05.2005 and G.O.Rt.No.607, dt: 06.05.2010 with a direction to the Respondents to accord all consequential benefits, arising thereof to the applicant in this O.A.

- 4. In the reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above, Sri K.Sudhakar, Selection Grade Secretary, Agricultural Marketing Committee, Kurnool (Retd.) further filed Contempt Application to implement the orders of Hon'ble AP Administrative Tribunal, Hyderabad dt: 20.09.2012.
- 5. Government after careful examination of the entire matter, decided to implement the orders of Hon'ble A.P.Administrative Tribunal issued vide reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above.
- 6. Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action against Sri K.Sudhakar, Selection Grade Secretary, Agricultural Marketing Committee, Kurnool (Retd.).

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7. The Commissioner and Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad is directed to implement the orders of Hon'ble A.P. Administrative Tribunal issued vide reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above in respect of Sri K.Sudhakar, Selection Grade Secretary, Agricultural Marketing Committee, Kurnool (Retd.).

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVRNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.D. SREENIVASULU PRINCIPALSECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(AM&C)

To

Sri K.Sudhakar, Selection Grade Secretary, Agricultural Marketing Committee, Kurnool (Retd.) through the Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Hyderabad.

## Copy to:-

The Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Govt. Pleader for Forest(s), APAT, Hyderabad w.r.t..C.A.No.142/2013 in O.A.No.2215/2012 & Batch.

The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

The Secretary to V.C., A.P.V.C., Hyderabad.

The General Administration(V&E)Dept.

SC/Sf.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

**SECTION OFFICER**